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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

JENSEN et al

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For: A METHOD FOR IDENTIFICATION OF

BIOLOGICALLY ACTIVE PEPTIDES AND NUCLEIC ACIDS

Group Art Unit: 1636

Examiner: W. Sandals

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Asst. Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

July 29, 1999

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on March 29, 1999 (Paper No. 16). Kindly enter the following amendments and submissions.

IN THE ABSTRACT:

An Abstract is attached hereto.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Kindly amend claims 1, 26, 32, 33, 41 and 42 as follows:

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